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MONOPOLY UNDER U. S. SUPERVISION PACKERS' PLAN

Best for Producer and Consumer, Armour Declares

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—J. Ogden Armour today suggested a monopoly under government supervision of the entire meat industry of this country was best for producer and consumer.

Testifying before the senate agriculture committee, he declared that by this plan millions of dollars could be saved, which would help increase the profits of producers of livestock and at the same time cut down the cost of meat to consumers.

The necessity of close government supervision was emphasized however, by Mr. Armour in connection with his proposal.

Must Be Regulated.

"Such a concern must be regulated by the government," he told the committee, "because few men with such enormous power would use it properly."

There was no discussion of Mr. Armour's plan which he proposed during the cross-examination by Francis J. Heney who conducted the federal trade commission's packing house inquiry. The questioning then touched upon alleged existence of a combination among the leading packers, which Mr. Armour denied.

Mr. Armour explained that the packers contributed to a general fund such as might be used in joint legislation action, and said he believed this was a common practice among industries. Payments were paid on a percentage basis which followed, he added the basic adopted during a pool by these concerns many years ago "to prevent an over-supplied market."

Each of the companies, he testified, now tried to maintain about the same share of business as at that time but he denied that there was any actual agreement to that effect.

Three Grow Fastest.

"Don't you think that there is a decided tendency?" Mr. Heney asked "toward growth of only three big packing companies—Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Morris & Co.?"

"I've heard some such statement before," Mr. Armour replied.

Mr. Heney contended that the country would benefit if the business were conducted by more small packing houses, widely distributed. He accused the packers of wasteful methods, made possible by their great great volume of business. Mr. Armour contended that the packers acquired no advantage from their relationships with banks and railroads. He gave the committee a full list of all banks and railroads of which he is director and smaller companies in which he holds stock. Mr. Armour will continue his testimony Monday and probably will be followed by his counsel, Levy Mayer, who will discuss the validity of the Kendrick bill to regulate the meat interests.

MILTON DENIES RECENT CHARGES

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Charges that Milton J. Trainer of Chicago, a civilian employee of the war department had attempted to obtain a commission of \$100,000 in connection with plans for the construction of the Chicago Speedway Hospital, were vigorously denied today by E. D. Adcock, of Chicago, counsel for Trainer, at a hearing before the senate buildings committee.

Trainer is expected to appear in his own behalf next week. Adcock told the committee that the charge that his client had sought the commission from Edward S. Hines, of Chicago, either was made deliberately without regard to the truth or recklessly. In asking that the inquiry be deferred until Monday, Adcock said that evidence as startling as that in the Lorimer case would be developed and in refusing his request the committee announced that reference to the Lorimer matter would not be permitted to go into the record.

WILL EQUIP PLANES WITH WIRELESS

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Jan. 25.—British Wireless Service.—The airplanes which are carrying the peace conference delegates and important documents between London and Paris are to be equipped with wireless telephone apparatus. This will enable the pilots to speak to one another while in the air and will also enable them to receive frequent weather reports and instructions from the ground.

The British army during the war, it was declared, perfected the wireless telephone so that pilots could speak to the ground and to another at a distance of fifteen miles. Twain passed thru his hands.

U. S. Will Soon Be Back Into Its Normal Swing

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Predicting that the country will "get back into its normal swing" within six months after the signing of the armistice, William B. Wilson, secretary of labor, declared in an address here today that the nation faces eight or ten years of the "greatest industrial activity ever known."

Mr. Wilson spoke at a luncheon given in his honor and that of United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, by the lawyers' club on the eve of the departure for France of the department of labor's economic mission, which will make a survey of that country.

While predicting prosperity, Mr. Wilson warned his audience that labor has a reserve of money to resist any attempt to force down wages unduly. He asserted that if we have any large period of industrial unrest there is no telling where the social upheaval will lead us.

In this connection he declared, it would be hard to say whether it would lead to a revolution, such as that of the French or of the Bolsheviks in Russia."

Brief Period of Readjustment

Referring to the end of tiding over a brief period of readjustment, Mr. Wilson said:

"We now have to turn our attention to the task of demobilization and re-establishing ourselves on a stable, post-war basis. This will be easy to accomplish if every man engaged in business in the United States will bring himself to believe that the best policy for him to follow is to re-establish his business on the same basis as before the war.

"Many feel that this is not advisable. They say war prices are abnormal, that the prices or material are high and that the cost of labor is out of question. This reasoning seems fairly sound but it is one phase of the situation. I predict that it will not be more than four to six months between the time of the signing of the armistice and that the time it takes the country to get back into its normal swing.

"The supply of labor is not as great as men are prone to think. Because of the cessation of immigration during the war, and the fact that it will be necessary to keep an army of 1,000,000 men in Europe for more than a year to come, we are about 3,200,000 persons short in our normal labor supply."

THOUSANDS ARE IDLE IN FRANCE

(By the Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 25.—A large part of the increasing amount of unemployment in this country is voluntary and temporary in character, declared Dr. George W. Kirchwey, state director of the United States employment service in an address here today.

Discharged soldiers, he said, were not eager to return to their old jobs and many were walking the streets to find work of a more dignified character.

He said the army was being demobilized too rapidly from the point of view of industry, with the result that discharged soldiers are concentrating in industrial centers. He termed a "Greek gift" the announcement by Secretary of War Baker that no man without a job would be discharged against his will asserting that generally speaking the soldiers wished to get out of the uniform as rapidly as possible.

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"What I did say," he explained, "was that when the armistice was signed the problem was presented of restoring into peaceful occupation 4,000,000 men who had been under arms and about 8,000,000 war workers."

He added that the 8,000,000 war workers are not out of employment at this moment. Hundreds of them, he said, were

WILL ASCERTAIN STRENGTH OF GERMAN ARMY

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois speaking today before the Lawyers' Club in support of the proposal for a league of nations, declared that the American government in the peace settlement could not abandon a single one of President Wilson's fourteen principles without laying itself open to the charge of perfidy.

Germany, Senator Lewis said would have the right to refuse to abide by the terms of the armistice, the allies would be justified in withdrawing from the peace table and all small nations or aspiring peoples fighting with the United States on the basis of the president's proposals would be excused before the world in turning from America.

Fourteen Points.

"The peace was made by Germany and her people on terms of fourteen points proposed by the United States including the proposal of leagues of nations for future peace," said Senator Lewis.

"These were adopted by the allies as their only terms of peace and al accepted as the basis by Italy, the Balkans and Turkey. It is impossible for the United States to withdraw one of her terms or postpone one or omit to press one without giving Germany the right then and there to refuse to abide by the terms of the armistice in any particular. She could refuse to deliver her cannon and arms as agreed.

"The people of Germany would be justified in charging us with fraud on them and turn against us and support any force against our soldiers. The allies would be justified in accusing us of trickery and withdraw from the table.

"Every little nation or aspiring people fighting with us on the basis of our proposals made Jan. 13, 1918 would be excused before the world in turning from us and assailing us for perfidy to them.

Then resenting it by allying themselves with any foes of the United States—this on the ground that our contracts and agreements were delusions and a fraud and our treaties of peace but 'scraps of paper.' We would be the perfidious traitors to solemn compacts and the one nation whose word would sink as low as that of Prussia, when her deceptions and lies brought her to destruction in the indignation of civilization."

DIFFICULT TIMES AHEAD FOR FRANCE

(By the Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 25.—France now faced with a struggle with Germany, Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the United States Shipping Board, speaking tonight, at the Palm, Lieutenant R. J. Perry, Joliet III, came back a survivor of an attack by 150 whippet tanks against the Germans in the Argonne, only thirty of these machines returning safely.

Among the arrivals were companies A. B. C. and medical detachment, 814th Pioneer Infantry (colored), consisting of seven officers and 601 men assigned to Camp Upton; casual company 16, Virginia, comprising two officers and 113 men, assigned to Camp Merritt and 34 casual officers.

Included among the officers aboard the transport Attensis, which arrived today from Bordeaux were:

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complement of the German submarines varied. Some small boats had only thirty on board while the crew of a boat of the cruiser type averaged between 50 and 60.

The British army during the war lost 59 submarines, 33 of which were destroyed by the enemy. Of the remainder four were interned by neutrals, seven were blown up in the Baltic sea, four were sunk by accident on trial cruises and five were wrecked in collisions.

YANKEE ARMY WAS SECOND IN STRENGTH

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—On the day that the armistice was signed the American army on the western front was second in strength only to that of France itself. Figures made public today by General March showed that on November 11, the U. S. was represented on the western front by 1,950,100, France, on November 1, the last date for French official figures available, had 2,559,000. The British and the Portuguese attached to the British army totalled 1,718,000 while the Belgian and Italian forces on the western front aggregated about 200,000.

Plans looking to vastly increased use of oil fuel by American merchant vessels have been developed at conferences between heads of the larger oil producing interests, ship owners and representatives of the shipping board. John N. Rossiter, director of operations for the board said today that details of the proposals tentatively accepted were being worked out preliminary to action toward the establishment of additional oil bunkering facilities at various ports, and cooperation with the oil producers to assure a steady supply of fuel.

"The importance of oil fuel to the future of the American merchant marine, I believe cannot be overstated," Mr. Rossiter said. "It means the difference between success and failure in short. The increased steaming radius given to vessels operating with oil as against those operating with coal, the reduction in size of crews and the elimination of delays and loading costs are some of the considerations."

HENDRICKS TERMINATES CONTRACT

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 25.—Jack Hendricks, manager of the St. Louis Nationals last season, has agreed to terminate his contract as manager at once according to an announcement made this afternoon following a meeting of the board of directors of the club by J. C. Jones, vice president. The contract had one more year to run. Branch Rickey, president of the club, has been offered the position of manager, which he has taken under advisement.

Hendricks' agreement was for a cash consideration.

WELL KNOWN PUBLISHER DIES

Summitt, N. J., Jan. 25.—Frederick A. Duneka, vice president and general manager of Harper and Brothers publishers, of New York, died yesterday at his home here. Before joining Harper and Brothers, nearly twenty years ago he was city editor of the New York World. The manuscripts of many noted literary men and women, including those of Mark Twain passed thru his hands.

SENATOR LEWIS IN STIRRING SPEECH UP HOLDS WILSON

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Wilson's Address Conference

PARIS, Jan. 25.—Following is President Wilson's address before the peace conference today:

"Mr. Chairman:

"I consider it a distinguished privilege to be permitted to open the discussion in this conference on the league of nations.

"We have assembled for two purposes—to make the present settlements which have been rendered necessary by this war and also to secure the peace of the world, not only by the present settlements, but by the arrangements we shall make at this conference for its maintenance.

"The league of nations seems to me to be necessary for both of these purposes. There are many complicated questions connected with the present settlements, which perhaps cannot be successfully worked out to an ultimate issue by the decisions we shall arrive at, but always functioning in watchful attendance upon the interests of the nations and that its continuity should be a vital continuity. That its functions are continuing functions; that do not permit an intermission of its watchfulness and of its labor; that it should be the eye of the nations, to keep watch upon the common interest—an eye that did not slumber, an eye that was everywhere watchful and attentive.

"It is therefore necessary that we should set up some machinery by which the work of this conference should be rendered complete.

"And if we do not make it vital, what shall we do? We shall disappoint the expectations of the peoples. This is what their thought centers upon.

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"Gentlemen, the select classes of mankind are now in the hands of the German empire and their allies.

"We have assembled here for the purpose of doing very much more than making the present settlements that are necessary. We are assembled under very peculiar conditions of world opinion. I may say without straining the point that we are not the representatives of governments but of the general staffs and other individuals, however highly placed.

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A STATE CONSTABULARY ARGUMENT.

A Jacksonville man said yesterday: "I noticed in the Journal reference to violation of the speed law on one page and on another a paragraph that a bill for the state constabulary will be introduced in Springfield. Do you know, if a constabulary is provided that the police it provides will take action in just such law violations as are occurring here?" That being true, the state constabulary will certainly give a much needed service. It is true, too, that non-resident officers would find it far easier matter to enforce traffic laws and kindred measures than do "home" officers, who of course have their friends and personal obligations.

CANDIDATES ARE NAMED.

The primary election yesterday brought only a light vote, as so often happens when only one nomination is to be made on each party ticket. The expense of holding such an election is just as great as if the full vote were cast, and it is a safe estimate that every vote in Saturday's election cost the county more than a dollar.

M. Clarence Thompson, the Republican nominee, is a farmer living northwest of Jacksonville. For several years he was in business in this city. His record is such as to give him the confidence of his friends and if elected a member of the county board he will give earnest attention to county business. The Journal will support his candidacy.

Charles N. Wyatt of Franklin has the Democratic nomination and is one of the well known residents of his home precinct. He is a successful farmer and business man.

Newspapers in referring to the estate left by the "King of Sahara" who was recently buried by his wife in an eastern city, have

said that he left property valued at only \$230,000. Before the war these figures would have indicated a valuable estate, but now people have become so accustomed to talking in millions and billions that the news writer refers to \$200,000 or \$300,000 as a mere trifle.

THE WAY OF JUSTICE.

Justice is a strange thing in this country, especially as administered to women offenders against the law. It is almost impossible to secure the government in some way provide for a deficiency of \$196,000, notwithstanding the higher rates for passengers and freight service the public has been paying. Another big increase in wages of employees is contemplated and to the fair-minded the figures under government control give the best answer to the government ownership proposal.

ENGLAND HAMMERING THE MARKETS.

The principal cause of the present upheaval in grain and livestock market is said to be England. "John Bull" has the idea that war time prices should not prevail after the war for food-stuffs, and other necessities, and its beginning to look like the English will have their way before many weeks. But it is also worth while to remember that lowered prices for grain represent the distinct purpose on the part of certain operators who are seeking for lower prices. That's the reason there is so much talk about Argentine corn and the chartering of ships to bring cargoes to the American market. The fact is that Argentina produces less than 10 per cent of the corn the world grows and it is so hard that it is not useful for feed until it is ground. Nevertheless the story of Argentine shipments is helping to beat the corn price down.

CITY POLITICS.

It is sometimes said that Jacksonville does not fare better municipally because there is too much politics here and that the city's interests take second place to those of individuals. Politics is a broad term and can mean almost anything in its relationship to public affairs. The city is not injured by politics or politicians if they are of the right type. The word "politics" can be construed to mean public interest and that is just what the city needs.

In the past there has been too much lack of interest in public affairs on the part of the people. There has been a tendency to elect officials to office and then not support them—or at least give little attention to the city's interests. Some times in the past the people have been negligent in the kind of candidates they have chosen. The ideal situation is for politics to be continually ripe, not only at election time, but during all the intervening period, for if all the people are interested in public affairs all the time those affairs will be rightly handled.

A MAGNIFICENT EPIGRAPH.

Nothing finer has come out of this war than this line from an

Rippling Rhyme
By Walt Mason**The Grief Hog.**

There is no trouble here below for ordinary mortals; ex-kaiser Bill has cornered woe, and we have naught but chortles.

The kaiser always was a pig, when he was busy reigning; unless he got the portion big, he sat around complaining. And now that he's no longer chief, he's hogged the stock of sadness, he's cornered all

there is of grief, and we're condemned to gladness. I try to dig up some despair, but there's none to gather; the kaiser's got it in his hair, he has the whole blamed slather.

Perhaps you think you have a woe, but it's an imitation; there isn't any, that I know in all this blooming nation. The kaiser has it stored away, in boxes, bales and cases; it's all in his old castle gray, there's none in other places. It's really useless scratch-

ing round for any brand of sorrow; you cannot buy it by the pound, no gallon can you borrow.

The kaiser has it salted down, it's in his safe deposit; old Bill, the king without a crown, old Bill, the great what was it. So don't pretend you're in despair, and sprinkle cardigans many; for Bill has cornered all the care, and he won't part with any.

TAKES OWN LIFE BEFORE GIVEN FREEDOM.

New Albany, Ind., Jan. 25.—Just a few minutes before a circuit court jury trying the case of Charles Schneider, 43 years old, charged with murder, returned verdict of not guilty today, Schneider cut his throat with a razor and was found dead in his cell when a court attaché went to summon him to the court room to hear the verdict. He was accused of the murder of Stephen Miller, town marshal of Port Fulton, Ind., last July.

The jury's verdict of not guilty was based on the decision that Schneider was of unsound mind at the time of his killing.

30,000 CIVIL WAR VETS DIE IN 1918.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Thirty thousand civil war veterans practically one tenth of the survivors died during the last fiscal year, the house appropriations committee reported today in presenting a bill carrying \$215,000,000 for paying pensions during the year beginning next July.

ERROR IN CONVENTION CALL.

The call for a Republican convention, which appeared in the Journal Saturday, to select delegates to the judicial convention at Bushnell was in error.

The delegates will be chosen by the county central committee, this being the plan followed in all counties of this district.

FORMER RESIDENT HERE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Harries of

Chicago are in the city, guests of S. P. Knoles.

Some years ago Mr. Harries was a cutter in the tailoring department of the

Knole's store and he finds many

friends here glad to greet him again.

INJURED BY FALL.

Mrs. Eliza Hayden of Palmyra,

Mo., who is here visiting relatives

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January 26

Mr. Henry A. Atkinson—Victory and the New
World Order.

Dr. Atkinson wrote "The Peoples Play" and is executive secretary of The National Committee on the Churches and The Moral Aims of the War under the auspices of The Church Peace Union and The League to Enforce Peace, of which former President Taft is president.

Further Announcements Later

Programs will open with community singing and other music and close with a question period.

You are Cordially Invited

An Adventure in Community Religion

Public Sale

Wishing to dispose of some surplus stock, the undersigned will offer for sale at his residence, 2½ miles north of Strawn's Crossing, and 2½ miles northwest of Sinclair, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28 1919

Commencing at 10:30 a. m., sharp, following property, to-wit:

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Twenty yearling steers weight about 600; 10 yearling heifers, weight about 500; 10 cows, some extra good; 30 calves, weaned, weight from 250 to 350.

HOGS! HOGS!

Thirty head Poland China hogs, if not sold before day of sale; 1 Poland China boar.

SHEEP! SHEEP!

Thirty head of ewes, bred for early lambs.

HORSES AND MULES

One extra good mule, 4 years old, weight 1400; 1 gray horse, 7 years old, sound and good worker. There will be 4 or 6 other horses put up for sale, of which description cannot be given in this advertisement.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Two 10-inch gang plows, good as new; 1 new Hayes corn planter; 1 low-wheel feed wagon, with frame; 1 3-section plow

TERMS OF SALE—CASH

Lunch Served by Ladies Aid of Hebron Church

G. A. WHEELER

C. M. Strawn, Auctioneer Chas. B. Graff, Clerk.

We are working very hard to catch up with the multitude of jobs left over from the Christmas time. We will have them straightened out as soon as possible.

Russell & Thompson

West Side Square

As for that Bugbear

about the "expense" of corporate executorship—it is all a myth. Almost without exception it costs less to have a Trust Company than an individual executor.

And even if your wife or a friend of the family will serve for nothing—one little mistake due to inexperience might cost ten times as much in the end. It is not worth while taking the risk.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Oleta Huber and children returned to the residence of Prof. Rayhill last evening after a visit with relatives in Pleasant Plains. Dr. Huber is expected home from the service within ten days or two weeks.

Prof. J. H. Rayhill is visiting his son Jack in Springfield.

Robert and W. A. Gwens of Waverly were business visitors in the city Saturday.

Mrs. John Wells of Virden was a Saturday visitor in Jacksonville.

Miss Alma Waddell of White Hall spent Saturday in the city.

Fred Burch of Franklin was among the business visitors in the city Thursday.

Miss Sarah Reese of Woodson was a Saturday visitor in the city.

George Holly of the region of Strawn's Crossing traveled to the city yesterday.

Scott Green near Antioch was calling on city people yesterday.

Luther and Noel Wiley, Ross and Milton Seymour traveled from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Earl Bridgeman of the vicinity of Joy Prairie was a caller in town yesterday.

Daniel Smith helped represent Chapin in the city yesterday.

Myron Hierman of Altenville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mrs. Ada White and daughters were travelers from Chapin to the city yesterday.

J. L. Seymour and wife were up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Cass Travis of Prentice was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Owen Wilcox traveled from Modesto to the city yesterday.

W. T. Mulligan of New Berlin was one of the city's visitors yesterday.

John Boddy, Emory Carter, William Sergeant and Louis Perrix helped swell the list of city arrivals from Markham yesterday.

Claude Keenan of Alexander was a visitor with city people yesterday.

James Gaddis of Concord was a caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Kate Luttrell of Franklin was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hadden and Mrs. Hadden's mother, Mrs. Charles Hayden, drove into the city from Joy Prairie yesterday.

Some city arrivals from Woodson yesterday were Dr. G. W. Miller; somewhat of a stranger, W. D. Henry, Samuel Henry, John Shelton, George Staples, George Morrow, Mrs. Lucy Gruner.

George Roberts and wife of Enid, Okla., called here by the death of Veerin Daniels, enjoyed a visit yesterday from several Woodson friends whom they were glad to see.

Horace Simpson of Prentice was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark, Misses Lilly and Floy Walker were city

arrivals from Arcadia yesterday. William Ricker and wife were travelers from Literberry to the city yesterday.

O. B. Rexroat of the northern part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

R. W. Woodward of Macon was called to the city on business Saturday.

Thomas Bush of Beardstown was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Miss Clara L. Hoyt of Havana was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Hon. W. E. Williams of Pittsfield was a business caller in the city yesterday.

E. D. Childs of Macon City spent Saturday in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barnes of Ashland were Saturday shoppers in the city.

Miss Catherine Randolph and Miss Mildred Randolph of Macon City were shopping in the city Saturday.

John Newell was a representative of Sinclair in the city yesterday.

Charles Clark was down to the city from Arcadia yesterday.

J. L. Smith journeyed from Chapin to the city yesterday.

George Detmers and son of Concord were among the city arrivals yesterday.

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Don't be afraid to buy a hat here. Our hats are bought in the same markets and from same firms that our competitors buy from. There is only one difference. We sell much cheaper.

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\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Hats now \$1.25
\$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Hats now \$1.98
\$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50 Hats now \$2.98

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town was in the city yesterday attending the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. John Devlin.

Rev. Thomas Symons of Concord was a caller on city friends from that is enjoyed a view whose grandeur.

Mrs. Andrew Russel has gone to Chicago to visit her daughter Miriam, a student at the Chicago University.

Miss Mina White helped represent White Hall in the city yesterday.

Anton Bergschneider of Alexander was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Frank Roach of Naples was a visitor with town folks yesterday.

Otis Grey of Concord was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Wm. Bourne of the vicinity of Shiloh called in the city yesterday.

Mr. John Judges of rural route No. five was a city caller yesterday.

John Bergschneider of Alexander was a traveler to town yesterday.

Joseph I. Leahy of Pleasant Plains was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Owen Wilcox was a representative of Modesto in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ryan of Franklin were shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

Frank Hembrough of Asbury was a caller on city people yesterday.

Claude Phillips and wife of Murrayville were travelers to town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frost of Lynnville were trading in town yesterday.

S. H. Crum traveled from Literberry to the city yesterday.

Ralph Megginson and son of Woodson vicinity was a city visitor yesterday.

Anton Bergschneider helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seymour, Ralph Woods, Misses Kate Luttrell, Eunice Ohlinger and Anna Wright were city visitors from Franklin yesterday.

Misses Marjorie and Marie Fitzpatrick, were city arrivals from the south part of the county yesterday.

Mrs. Milton Smith of the southeast part of the city arrived in the city yesterday.

Roy Crouse of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

William Morris traveled from Alexander to the city yesterday.

Mrs. James Holmes of the northeast part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

K. Green of Ashland made a business trip to town yesterday.

Mrs. A. D. Arnold of Arnold Station was a city caller yesterday.

Squire J. B. Beekman, Henry Moseley traveled from Pisgah to the city yesterday.

C. L. Reed of the northwest part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Irvin Patterson of the vicinity of Shiloh was a caller in the city yesterday.

Edgar Masters and Benjamin Cade came up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

Henry Barr of Woodson was a visitor in town yesterday.

J. A. Moss traveled from Joy Prairie to the city yesterday.

Ray Mawson of the south part of the county visited city people yesterday.

James Martin of the north part of the county was a town caller yesterday.

Mrs. R. F. Nicholson of Springfield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brisendine of 531 Reed street.

Mrs. Anna Scott of Franklin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. W. Fanning was a city arrival from Murrayville yesterday.

George Winter of Woodson precinct was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Miss Luella Henry of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porowski of Kansas City are visiting Mr. Porowski's sister, Mrs. George Moore and family of this city and today the two families together with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowdin of Joy Prairie are visiting Dr. F. P. Cowdin of Springfield.</p

**SCOTT CO. TEACHERS
TALK OF SALARIES**

**Believe Minimum Should Be \$525
Annually—Historical Society Is
Organized—News Notes.**

Winchester, Jan. 25.—Herbert Dill, wife and son will spend Sunday in Jacksonville with relatives.

Rev. C. W. Webb returned Friday night to his home in Mediapolis, Iowa, after a visit here with his son Harry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wallace of Granite City arrived Friday night to spend the week end at the home of Mr. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wallace.

Mrs. Chris Munze and daughter, Miss Anna, left Saturday

**To the Wife of
One who Drinks**

If this should meet the eyes of a wife, mother or friend of someone addicted to drink, unable to overcome this vicious habit, we obtain information of a method by which legions of drinkers have been freed from the curse quickly and with delightful benefit in a few months. This information will be sent in plain envelope on request to Edw. J. Woods, State Street, New York, N. Y. This is genuine—others this advertisement.

Mrs. George Stewart is confined to her home with influenza. Several persons met at the court house Saturday afternoon and organized a Scott County Historical society. A constitution was adopted and the officers elected were as follows:

President—Prof. Henry Hig-

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In the outlet of carburetor is a valve like a small door and is opened and closed by small lever on steering wheel, also by foot pedal in most cars. This valve admits more or less gas, not gasoline to the motor. The gasoline is automatically supplied by a valve and float in bowl of carburetor. If carburetor leaks gasoline it is because this valve does not seat.

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If it properly adjusted, keep dirt and water out of it by strainers in pipe line, then leave it alone, and don't even let so-called automobile mechanics change the adjustment.

If it becomes necessary to have it changed take it to an expert.

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If the motor is in good shape, valves and ignition O. K., the carburetor will not need resetting, and no amount of adjustment will cure leaky valves, poor fitting pistons and rings, faulty ignition, etc.

The carburetor is the heart of your motor and should not be tampered with. In motor tests by manufacturers, motors have been run twenty thousand miles without changing the carburetor. This would mean at least three years' driving for the average motorist.

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The new Spring Woolens, for men's and women's suits, are arriving daily and we believe that it will pay those persons who want something just a little different and a little finer, to call and make selections now—at least, to come in to see if the pattern you want has come in.

We are advised by manufacturers and jobbers that patterns will be limited and that it will be impossible to duplicate any of the numbers—in short, it will not be possible yet to get just exactly, perhaps, the pattern that you have in mind.

We shall be glad to show you the new patterns as they arrive, and to discuss with you the new spring garments that you may be contemplating.

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**COWS SOLD AT
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Twenty Offered Saturday By F. V. Correa Brought Sum of \$2,450.

The sale of cows held by F. V. Correa of Manchester at the Ogle barn yesterday was one of the best in the record of recent months. Twenty cows were sold by Mr. Correa and brought a total of \$2,450. Lloyd Seely of White Hall was the auctioneer and R. R. Stevenson the clerk. Cows for the most part were Jerseys and Holsteins and prices ranged as high as \$167.50. The sales recorded were as follows:

T. G. Beeley, Holstein cow, \$175.00.

Charles W. Clampit, two Holsteins, one at \$152.50 and one at \$142.50.

J. H. Redburn, red cow and calf, \$167.50.

Charles Decker, Jersey cow, \$142.50.

J. W. Blomling, Jersey cow, \$92.50.

J. H. McNeely, Jersey cow, \$155.

C. G. Middleon, Jersey cow, \$137.50.

Charles Beckum, Jersey cow, \$107.50.

J. W. Theobald, Jersey cow, \$150.

W. H. Yancy, Jersey cow, \$150.

W. D. Richards, Jersey cow, \$135.

John Pate, Jersey cow, \$72.50.

J. Masten, Jersey cow, \$107.50.

R. J. Hawk, Jersey cow and calf, \$105.

W. H. Smith, two Jersey cows, one at \$125 and one at \$107.50.

W. Lumley, Holstein, \$97.50.

W. I. Crabtree, Holstein cow, \$50.

J. B. Heliwell, Holstein cow, \$120.

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FUNERALS

Devlin.

The funeral services of Mrs. John Devlin were held at the church of Our Savior Saturday morning at nine o'clock. Requiem mass officiated by Rev. F. F. Formaz, assisted by Miss Margaret Ring organist and the choir. Burial was in Calvary cemetery, the bearers being John Burkery, D. E. Sweeney, James Hennessy, William Walsh, J. Ferry, Edward Keating. The flowers were cared for by the grandchildren, Louise Devlin, Mary and Annie Blesse.

Wilkerson.

Funeral services for Edna Faye Wilkerson were held at Diamond Grove cemetery at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in charge of the Rev. A. T. Todd, pastor of First Baptist church.

There were many beautiful flowers which were furnished by Dr. E. L. Hill from the Jacksonville State Hospital green house. The bearers were: George Murphy, Walter Whetstone, Stanley Bonwick and Peter Cordano. Memorial services will be conducted at Chapel exercises at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

COMMUNITY FORUM

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

HENRY A. ATKINSON

This Evening

See Announcement Page 3.

CLUBS AND SOCIETY

There will be a meeting of the officers and friends of the fourth ward unit Monday Jan. 27th at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Carriel, 1152 West College avenue.

The Fortnightly club will meet with Miss Paxton, 314 North Prairie street, on January 30. Miss Wakely will discuss Tchekoff.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of Centenary church will be held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Kinney, 197 South Prairie street Thursday afternoon Jan. 30th. A full attendance is desired as there is business of importance.

Directors of the Social Service League will meet at the Farmer's State Bank next Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 28th at 4 o'clock.

The Rev. James Caldwell Chapter, D. A. R., will meet Tuesday, Jan. 28 at 2 o'clock with Miss Ellie Trabue. Important business meeting. Sewing.

The Wednesday Class will meet with Mrs. F. J. Waddell on Wednesday.

The ladies of Grace church will hold an all day sewing at the church Wednesday for Red Cross relief work.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with Prof. H. V. Stearns. Subject: "The Present Pandemic of Influenza." Leader, Dr. T. J. Pitner.

The College Hill club will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Mary Fairbanks, 905 Grove street.

The Congregational Red Cross unit will hold the usual all-day sewing Tuesday at the church.

ALEXANDER.

Miss May Edmonds of Jacksonville is sending a few days with relatives here.

Joseph Ryman of Alexander who has been spending the past two weeks at the home of his sister near Lees Summit, Mo., was expected home Saturday evening.

Frank J. Kaiser went to Chicago recently to attend the retail merchants' convention and also the automobile show. He expects to be gone for several days.

Mrs. Frank J. Kaiser and son Robert spent Friday with friends in New Berlin.

Miss Marguerite Reif is confined to her home by an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Walter Hines spent Saturday in Springfield, where she went to be with her daughter, Miss Helen who is ill of influenza. The young lady is a student at Ursuline Academy.

PUBLIC SALE

Three miles north east of the city on old Darr farm, Thursday Jan. 30, 1 p. m.

THEODORE SAMPLE.

Miss Lula Henderson, the telephone operator at Literberry, long absent from a few weeks

**SCHOOLS NEED
GREATER FUNDS**

R. O. Stoops One of Teachers' Association Urging Legislation to Provide for Increased Operation Costs.

R. O. Stoops, superintendent of the schools at Joliet, is spending Sunday in the city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor on Grove street. Mr. Stoops, who has been superintendent of the Joliet schools for a number of years, was in Springfield yesterday to appear with educators representing the Illinois teachers' association before a committee of the legislature and officials of the department of education. Schools, like municipalities, are finding that their tax money is not sufficient these days and a measure is proposed whereby the rate of taxation can be increased if the people so desire by a referendum vote. The representatives of the teachers' association believe this legislation will be satisfactory in that each school community will have the opportunity of increasing tax money if it so desires.

That Sup't. Stoops has large responsibilities in Joliet is readily apparent when it is remembered that there are more than 6,000 pupils in the Joliet schools and a teaching force of about 225 members. It is a source of satisfaction to Jacksonville people to know that Mr. Stoops' services are greatly appreciated by the Joliet people and his salary has several times been raised since he entered upon his work there, after leaving this city.

ATTEND

G. A. Wheeler's Stock Sale Tuesday, Jan. 28, at farm 2 1/2 miles north of Strawn's Crossing: 70 head cattle; 30 hogs; 30 ewes; some good tools, etc.

MORTUARY

Thirio.

Charles Thirio died at his home 806 East Lafayette avenue at 6 o'clock Saturday morning of pneumonia after a brief illness. Deceased was born in the state of Kansas and was 39 years of age. He had resided in this state most all his life.

He was united in marriage to Matty Moss who survives him. He leaves no other relatives. The remains were removed to Gillham's undertaking parlors and prepared for burial. Funeral services will be held from Gillham's Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Myron L. Pontius pastor of Central Christian church.

Dwyer.

Mrs. John L. Dwyer died at the family home, 201 Franklin street Saturday morning of pneumonia which followed an attack of influenza.

Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Graubner and was born in this city June 22, 1887. She received her education in the Lutheran schools and later took a business course at Brown's Business college.

On July 1, 1914 she was united in marriage to John L. Dwyer. Besides her husband she is survived by her husband and one daughter Rosella. She also leaves her parents and two brothers, William H. Graubner, Jr., of this city, and Edward E. Graubner of Camp Merritt, N. J.

Mrs. Dwyer was a member of Salem Lutheran church and of the Luther Waller circle. She was faithful in her worship and was highly regarded by a large circle of friends.

Funeral services will be held from the residence at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon in charge of the Rev. J. G. Kupper.

Garden.

Joseph Garden, for many years a resident of this city died at his home, 31 East College avenue at 3:05 o'clock Saturday morning of pneumonia after a week's illness.

Deceased was 69 years of age at the time of death. He was a stone mason by occupation and was considered an expert in his work.

Besides his widow he is survived by the following children: Mrs. Louis Vieira, Decatur; Frank Garden, St. Louis; Earl Garden and Mrs. Lloyd Vasconcellos of this city.

Funeral services will be held home 421 East College avenue at 11 a.m. at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Jessie.

Relatives received word yesterday of the death of Joseph Jessie at his home in Moreland, Ky. The deceased, who had long lived in that community, was held in high esteem there. Although he had never been a resident of this city, he was known to many people here because of his visits made here at the homes of his children.

Mrs. Jessie is survived by his wife, together with the following sons and daughters: Mrs. C. W. Simms, Mrs. J. C. Lair, Mrs. A. J. Patrick, Mrs. Monte Sumpter, all of this city; a step daughter, Mrs. Mattle Clemens, also living here, and a step son, John Johnson, resident in this county. Another son, Paul Jessie, lived at the family home and will accompany the remains here for interment. The time of the funeral has not yet been determined upon.

BENNETT & COMPANY
IN NEW QUARTERS

James E. Bennett & Company, commission merchants, will remove their offices from their present location, 333 West State street, Huoton Building, to Room 309 Ayers Bank Building. The change will be made and the company will be ready for business Monday morning.

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**F. G. Farrell & Company
Bankers****Social Events****Mr. and Mrs. Logan Sargent
Entertained at Oyster Supper.**

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Sargent of 233 West Chambers street entertained at an oyster supper at their home Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Sargent's sister, Mrs. Nettie Baldwin of Springfield. The evening was spent with games and music and the occasion provided one of great pleasure for all. The guests were: Mrs. Nettie Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. William Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. Leitzel and Miss Ethel Rexroat.

Given Birthday Surprise.

A number of friends of C. J. Whitlock of Franklin surprised him Saturday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music and refreshments were served.

METHODISTS PLAN FOR GREAT THINGS

Centenary Movement Means Much to the Church and Religion Generally—Four Jacksonville Ministers Attended Conference in Chicago.

The Jacksonville ministers who attended the area conference of the Methodist church in Chicago have returned. The group included Rev. E. L. Pletcher, superintendent of Jacksonville district; Dr. F. M. Rule, Rev. F. B.

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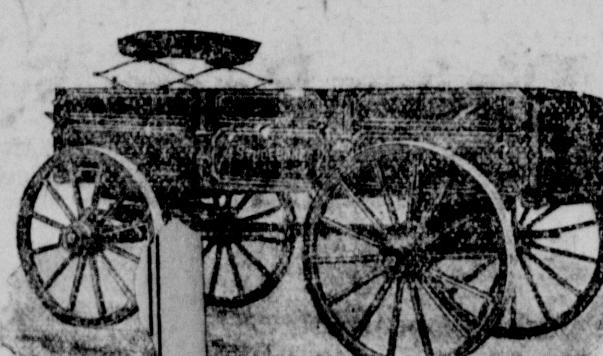
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Anyone who put off buying farm wagons is going to be disappointed in the price and in fact that they will be unable to get them for a long time to come, factories are still working on government contract work with high priced labor and scarcity of material. We have on hand a few Studebaker Wagons that have been bought a long time and just came in. When they are gone we do not know where we can replace them. Please call and give us a chance to sell you one now while we have them.

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Madden and Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick. The returned ministers all gave enthusiastic reports about the conference which was one of great inspirational value. In the various districts conferences are to be held and an intensive campaign will be waged in the coming months in support of the Centenary Movement.

Mr. Pletcher has already called a conference in this district of the heads of sub-divisions and the heads of departments of churches throughout the district. Ministers and laymen will meet for this conference Monday at the Dunlap hotel. The following summary of the work done at the conference was secured for publication by Rev. Mr. Pletcher and will give the members and friends of the Methodist church a very clear idea of the meaning of the Chicago meeting:

A great praise and intercession service in the First Church, Chicago, opened the World program Conference for Chicago Area on Monday evening, January 21st, in charge of Bishop Thomas Nicholson. Dr. W. E. Doughty made the chief address:

"The Centenary movement is probably the most important movement that any church has inaugurated since the day of Pentecost," declared Mr. George W. Dixon, chairman of the World Program Conference for Chicago Area, and who presided at the opening session at Orchestra Hall, Tuesday morning, January 21st. The attendance at this session numbered about 1,500 people and the number increased until there were nearly 3,000 at the evening meeting.

"It is a movement," Mr. Dixon continued, "with a world vision. It purports to reach the remotest man and woman of every color with the message of the Christ." Bishop Thomas Nicholson gave a brief history of the Centenary movement and then said "Crows have fallen like the leaves of the forest. The world has become plastic; women have been enfranchised; America has become the dividing factor in the struggle for world democracy, and for a Christian program for the nations. The Centenary program contemplates putting all government and all diplomacy, the world around on an open and even justice for high and low, for rich and poor and proposes that, as we have made the love of God burn up the base desires in the individual soul, we shall now

extend the spirit of Christ to all realms of human action and that we shall make the love of God and of man burn all the baseness out of human relations."

Tremendous Enthusiasm.

The program was opened music in charge of Prof. E. C. Excell, with Prof. A. W. Roper, pianist, and Miss Tina Mae Haines, organist. Immediately following the singing, Dr. W. E. Doughty, laid special emphasis on the spiritual content of the Centenary program. "The Foreign Survey," with the aid of maps and charts vividly portrayed by Drs. Ralph Ward, Howard Musser, J. M. Taylor and John M. Springer. Dr. Earl Bull spoke on the remarkable progress of Christianity in Japan. Dr. C. A. Tindley of Philadelphia, pastor of the largest colored Methodist church in the United States, created tremendous enthusiasm and brought the immense crowd to its feet with his oratory on the part the colored Methodists would take in this program.

Mrs. Thomas Nicholson presided at the Ladies' Banquet at Marshall Field's at which 719 women were present. Dr. Fred B. Fisher made a stimulating address on the part women could take in this program followed by a unique address by Dr. Tindley. The German, Central Illinois, North Indiana, Northwest Indiana, Rock River, Illinois and the Swedish Conference met at various banqueting halls for luncheon, at which inspiring addresses were made.

A Methodist Skyscraper.

At the afternoon session, Dr. D. D. Forsyth gave a very illuminating and exhaustive address on the "Home Survey" which was illustrated with maps, charts and lantern slides. Dr. Forsyth said that the Home Mission Department had made an extensive survey of the home field and carefully compared it with all the Protestant denominations. It had also made surveys of all the cities and towns. Brief but interesting addresses were made by Mr. Paul Vogt, on "Rural Work"; Dr. M. P. Burns on "City Work"; Dr. R. E. Difendorfer on "Frontier" and Dr. C. A. Tindley spoke on "The Negro in the North." Special Chicago Area problems were interestingly explained by Dr. John Thompson, who made the announcement that a great Methodist skyscraper would be built on the present site of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Clark and Washington Streets, Chicago. This announcement was received with great applause. Dr. H. R. DeBra explained the needs of the Calumet territory and the rural problem was discussed by Dr. J. H. Ryan.

Prominent Speakers on Program.

Mr. George W. Dixon, president at the Laymen's Banquet at the Auditorium Hotel, at which over 700 of the prominent laymen of the Area were present. The speakers were Bishop Nicholson, C. D. Nordemann, John C. Shatz, editor and owner of the Chicago Post and other papers; Judge H. R. Shavely, C. S. Ward, R. J. Wade, Prof. J. A. James of Northwestern College, President J. J. James of Illinois University; President Thomas F. Holgate of Northwestern University, former Governor, Charles S. Deneen, Major Clancy of Minneapolis, Mr. A. L. Parker, Detroit, and Christian R. Reiner, New York. The ministers' banquet was held at the Morrison hotel. Dr. John Thompson acted as toastmaster. Dr. F. B. Fisher, executive secretary, national campaign committee, gave an inspirational address, in which he dwelt especially on how the Centenary movement would help in India, China and Russia and other foreign countries as well as at home.

In speaking of the criticism of the Y. M. C. A., Dr. Mott said, "If critics are honest, they will name the time and place at which specific acts demanding criticism have been committed. Then if their criticisms are being investigated they will cease criticizing until they learn the result. I know the Y. M. C. A. more intimately than any other man, and I know there is a mere handful of things to criticize compared with the vast extent of the good things which all admit the Y. M. C. A. has done."

Immortality a World Question.

When Bishop McDowell arose and the Hall was packed to its limits, the program in the morning was opened by Dr. W. E. Doughty, who spoke on "The Centenary and War Reconstruction." Dr. Victor E. Thrall, executive manager, Chicago campaign, spoke briefly but conclusively upon the work of his department. "The Centenary working Program" was discussed in its different phases by Drs. John Richards, G. Franklin Ream, J. W. Potter, W. J. Davidson, E.

Following the banquets, Rev. Summer Vinton had charge of a stereopticon lecture at the evening session, "Making Democracy Safe for the World," and the closing address was made by Dr. Tindley.

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LISTEN

Don't bait your hook with a piece of cheese, And go to the barn and fish for fleas;

But bait your hook with a lion's tail,

And go to the seas and fish for whale."

This is the principle of the American people. We are strong enough to stop the greatest world's war; we will be wise enough to guide the world in the great period of reconstruction to our good. Mr. Wilson said the world must be led to stop Bolshevik influence. There is a movement to raise wages in Europe which will mean satisfied stomachs instead of hunger; and we must raise more food to feed them. Come in and let me sell you a farm and help in the great period of reconstruction.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who assisted us so kindly during the illness and death of our husband and father; also for the many beautiful floral remembrances.

Mrs. Veerin Daniels and Family.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Mrs. Alex Miller will hold a closing out sale three miles south of Alexander Jan. 30. Horses, cows and farming machinery and 12 head of extra fine Poland China brood sows and 8 shoats.

SHURTLEFF SWAMPED BY ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Blue and White Five Win by Score of 72 to 25—Coach Harmon Tries all of His Men—Tomlinson, Cully and Farrell Star.

Illinois College swamped Shurtleff at basketball in David Prince gym Saturday evening, the final score being 72 to 25. Had Coach Harmon not given all of his squad a chance it is probable that the first string men would have run up a score of one hundred or more.

Just before the game started the Illinois men met and elected Edward Tomlinson, veteran center, captain of the 1919 team.

The game uncovered a new star in Felix Farrell, a youngster who played his first varsity game. Farrell is young and tired in the latter part of the game. However, he has a good eye for baskets and should develop into a star player with another year's experience.

All of the men played good basketball, Tomlinson alone making enough points to defeat the visitors. He was closely followed by Cully who totaled 22 points. Tomlinson's total was 28 points.

While the Illinois five played an excellent offensive game Coach Harmon was not satisfied with the defensive play. He said that 25 points were too many for a team of the caliber of Shurtleff to score and that with a stronger defensive team it was likely the game would be lost.

There was but little to commend the visitors. They lacked team work and staying qualities and were not in condition for a fast game. The point makers were Kelsey, Wilderman and Roberts. The score.

	F.G.	F.T.	Tls.
Shurtleff, f	6	12	5
Badger, f	3	0	5
Cully, f	11	0	22
Peters, f	0	0	0
Tomlinson, c	14	0	28
Underwood, c	1	0	2
Mutch, g	0	2	2
Best, g	0	0	0
Lenington, g	0	0	0
Totals.....	35	2	72

	F.G.	F.T.	Tls.
Kelsey, f	5	0	10
Blair, f	0	0	0
Bolton, f	0	0	0
Roberts, c	1	5	7
Wilderman, g	4	0	8
Wagner, g	0	0	0
Totals.....	10	5	25

Referee, Capt. Coon, University of Wisconsin; timer, R. E. Harmon, Illinois College; scorer, E. R. Harmon, Illinois College.

MURRAYVILLE WON GAME

The Jacksonville Boy Scouts were defeated by the Murrayville Boy Scouts by a score of 18 to 14 in a fast and snappy game played on the local Y. M. C. A. Gym floor, in the presence of a fair sized crowd. Both teams showed up well. The local team has four more games scheduled; two at home and two out of the city. The teams lined up as follows:

Murrayville: Frank Kennedy, f; Floyd short, f; Frank Jones, f; James Burke, g; Ralph Rigg, g.

Jacksonville: Leurig, c; Madden, c; Lee Henry Goebel, f; Geo. Johnson, f; Palmer Hunt, g; Eugene Darr, g; John Hackett, g; Russell Deatherage, g.

Time keeper, Lawrence Laney; scorer, McCune; Referee, Harold Green.

HOME TO STAY.

John Southwell of Winchester was a caller in the city yesterday. He was dressed in khaki and had his discharge. He enlisted Sept. 17, 1917 in the 33rd regiment, 86th division, heavy artillery. He was first sent to Camp Grant and then to Camp Robinson, Wisconsin to the artillery range. He then went overseas and was stationed in Camp Hunt, France south of the front but wasn't fortunate in getting to the battle line before the armistice was signed. He was returned and discharged at Camp Grant.

NOTICE MEN WORKERS.

All men workers in the business district in the Red Cross campaign are requested to meet at Red Cross headquarters at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

E. A. Brennan, Chairman.

OTTO NICKEL COMES HOME.

Otto Nickel of Concord was in the city yesterday now a regular citizen having been honorably discharged from the service. He was in the Ordnance department and first went to Camp Hancock, Ga. where he was in the casual company, First Provincial Regiment.

DISPENSATION

Grand Worthy President Judge A. B. Duncan has granted the local aerie a sixty day dispensation for their membership drive prior to the big district meeting at Springfield March 2.

Worthy President H. E. Johnson has called a special election to be held next Wednesday night to fill two vacancies in the local aerie.

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HOPPERS

Clearance SPECIALS

Invoicing reveals several hundred pairs of high grade shoes for men and women that are the remains of discontinued lines and styles that we are determined to clean up at a popular, money saving price.

These are good style quality shoes of reputable make, sizes and colors are good. In women's shoes we have choice styles in high and low heels, special lot for growing girls.

Now is the time to lay in a supply, shoes will not be cheaper, but higher, during the coming year. It is a great buying opportunity. See our show case for styles. Our special sale price —

\$4.85

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Our Bargain Counters
offer great Buying Possibilities

RECORDING OF SOLDIERS' DISCHARGES

A Generous County Board Has
Arranged for it to Be Done
Free of Charge.

The board of county commissioners, otherwise Capt. J. M. Swales and Charles Magill, arranged yesterday with Circuit Clerk Boston to record the discharges of all returning soldiers and sailors free of charge. This splendid movement is in accord with what the Journal has urged a number of times and the county board are to be commended for this patriotic act. As was the case with the discharges of men in the civil war, the clerk will have printed blanks and bound in regular record books similar to the pages prepared for regular mortgages and deeds so that the work of recording cannot be great.

Every soldier who has a discharge in his possession should lose no time in leaving it at the office of the circuit clerk as soon as that gentleman has the necessary preparations made and then, no matter what happens to the document, it will have a duplicate on record where it will be safe from harm, loss and destruction. The county board have done a righteous and wise deed. We owe our very existence as a free land to the men in khaki and the service we render them is small pay for what they did.

IN THIS ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNHEARD OF PRICES OF COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS, BLOUSES, FURS AND MILLINERY DURING THE COMING WEEK, IT IS WELL FOR YOU TO INVESTIGATE THE OFFERINGS PRESENTED FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.
J. HERMAN.

COMMUNITY FORUM SPEAKERS.

The Committee in charge of the Community Forum program at the Congregational church has announced the following speakers for the Sunday evening program. No admission fee is charged.

Sunday Evening, Jan. 25.
Henry A. Atkinson—Victory and the New World Order.

Sunday Evening, Feb. 2.
Arthur C. Ryan—Turkey and Armenia.

Sunday Evening, Feb. 9.
Rev. John W. Day—Peace Terms.

Sunday Evening, Feb. 16.
Chief Justice O. N. Carter—The Coming Constitutional Convention.

Sunday Evening, March 2.
Percival Chubb—Conservation and Its Promises of a Simpler and Richer Life.

Sunday Evening, March 16.
R. W. Gammon—The Church and the Community.

PARTY DRESSES IN ALL THE DAINTY SHADES AND NEWEST MODELS NOW ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

FLU IN HONOLULU

The influenza has been very prevalent in Honolulu, according to a letter recently received by Mrs. E. N. Pires from her daughter, Mrs. Laura P. Marquis, who is a resident there. Quarantine regulations were enforced on all incoming vessels, but regardless of these precautions, the disease got its hold and vast numbers of people have been ill. However, the record there does not show as large a per cent of fatalities as in the U. S.

FARMERS PLANNING FOR REPRESENTATION

Secretary Employed by Agricultural Association to Discuss Food Production and Livestock Topics With Government Authorities—Problems of Reconstruction are Numerous.

A meeting of the Farmers Club was held at the court house at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, in accordance with the call made by G. B. Kendall, county agent, at this time. H. E. Kitner and H. J. Rice, who were delegates to the meeting of the Illinois Agricultural association in Peoria, made their report and Mr. Kendall told something of a recent conference of county agents in Urbana.

The agricultural association includes farm bureau organizations throughout the state. At present there are sixty counties in the state with crop improvement associations or farmers clubs, and more than half of them have membership in the organization mentioned, nearly all other counties were represented.

Farmers Not Represented.

The most important action taken was in providing for a special representative of farm organizations in matters especially relating to prices. It has been recognized in the past that when any important conference was held in Chicago or Washington to discuss questions relating to food supply, that packers, labor and others are represented but that the farmers, who produce the food stuffs, have no representation. To meet this situation is one of the purposes of the Illinois Agricultural association.

At the Peoria meeting a special fund of \$10,000 was quickly raised to provide for this representation. One hundred men present each pledged \$100 which it is expected will be later provided by the various organizations. By the raising of this fund it was immediately made possible to employ a secretary especially for the representation mentioned and D. O. Thompson, who has been serving as county advisor in McLean county, was secured for the work. One reason for quick action in raising the fund is that a conference is to be held in Washington Monday or Tuesday relative to the price of hogs for the next thirty days, and it was desired to have Mr. Thompson present at that conference.

Possibilities of Organization.

Both Mr. Kitner and Mr. Rice said that every man of the large number of delegates present was enthusiastic over the possibilities thru organized effort and that from the discussions had it was very apparent that during these reconstruction days that farmers are to need more than ever before, some definite representation at national or state councils where prices of foodstuffs are fixed.

Mr. Kendall said that at the county agents' meeting in Urbana that some of the discussion was along the same line as that which had been reported from the Peoria meeting, as it is realized that the farmers are to meet new and important problems this year in the matter of produce and price.

F. J. WADDELL & CO.

RED CROSS SAVES AMERICAN SOLDIERS

(Fulton Democrat)

The many friends of Harley Sanders have many times wondered how the poor lad was faring in the German prison, where he had to spend six months or more, but not until now have they had the real story of the boy's sufferings. It makes it very hard for those who knew and loved him to want to have any hand in feeding the Germans when they read the following pathetic story which came in a letter to his sister, Miss Pearl Sanders, last week:

Friday Afternoon, Dec. 20, 1918.

Dear Sister:—Just a few words to let you know that on Wednesday afternoon I received nine letters from you—the first I have received since I left the states, and it made me very happy to know that you are well and happy, or were when you wrote last, which was some time in July, 1918.

I cannot make this letter very long. I have so much to say that I do not know where to start, so I will tell you all about what I have got, thru suffice I left the states.

Life in Germany was simply Hell for one who was dying of hunger until the American Red Cross took a hand in and began to send us food and clothing. If it had not been for them half of the boys would have never returned home to see their loved ones.

The German food which they fed us was of cow-beet's soup, burnt barley for coffee, without sugar or milk. For meat we ate behind the lines the dead horses killed the night before by the French and American guns. I have, killed cats and ate them rather than starve. While in Deutschland (Germany) for a gold ring mother gave me for a birthday present, a German soldier gave me one loaf of sour bread, consisting of sawdust, potatoes and some kind of dark looking flour and about five spoonfuls of sour or bitter jam.

For a large black pocket-book mother also gave me, I got one-half a loaf of bread.

If you want to you can tell the editor of the News about this and that will let the people know what a prisoner's life is in Germany.

I wish you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. I hope everyone is well and happy. Give my love to grandma and grandpa.

I am now gaining in weight every day. I did not tell you that I had a cracked rib while in Germany, but I did. They wanted to cut on me, but I refused to let them, for if I had I would have been dead in 24 hours. I close for this time.

Lovingly your brother,

Pvt. Harley Sanders.

Hotel De Bain, Vichy, France.

P. S.—I do not know whether

I am to return home or go back to my company. I hope it is Home, Sweet Home.

THIEVES GET SILVER

from west end residence re-

cently. Insured under Burg-

lary policy with C. H. Ward.

Have you fixed? Ill. phone

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PRIMARY ELECTION, JAN. 25, 1919

PRECINCTS	Bonds	Thompson	Leake	Summers	Wyatt
Jacksonville 1	2	9	8	4	
Jacksonville 2	6	22	6	4	4
Jacksonville 3	3	11	19	7	9
Jacksonville 4	3	19	19	2	7
Jacksonville 5	1	34	24	5	10
Jacksonville 6	2	22	14	3	8
Jacksonville 7	3	7	10	7	3
Jacksonville 8	2	43	12	4	7
Jacksonville 9	5	21	17	2	4
Jacksonville 10	24	20	7	7	7
Jacksonville 11	3	23	30	5	3
Jacksonville 12	5	15	15	30	2
Alexander	2	21	9	7	10
Arcadia	44	3	1	4	
Centerville	1	2		1	15
Chapin	6	26	35	2	
Concord	13	36	1	2	
Franklin 1	14	7	4	3	79
Franklin 2	28	7	5	1	91
Literberry	20	4		7	
Lynnville	5	4	5	2	4
Markham	15	16	1	1	
Meredosia	8	6	21	3	
Murrayville	2	15	14	3	19
Nortonville	1	10	6	3	36
Pisgah	4	6	5		18
Prentice	1	10	2	2	6
Sinclair	1	12	5	2	3
Waverly 1	2	4	2	1	45
Waverly 2	9	2	4	1	39
Woodson	5	11	14	15	13
Totals	120	459	400	131	456

LIGHT VOTE CAST IN PRIMARY ELECTION

M. C. Thompson, Republican, and Charles N. Wyatt, Democrat, Nominees for County Commissioner.

A primary election was held throughout Morgan county Saturday to select candidates for county commissioner. As there was nothing before the voters except the selection of candidates for this office a light vote was polled.

On the Republican ticket M. Clarence Thompson of Arcadia precinct was the nominee and secured a total of 459 votes, whereas his opponent, George E. Bonds, of Franklin, secured 120.

On the Democratic ticket the nominee is Charles N. Wyatt of Franklin, who received 456 votes. There was more of a contest on the Democratic ticket and not until the final precincts were heard from was it certain or not Mr. Wyatt or Richard Leake of Joy Prairie neighborhood had secured the nomination. Daniel T. Summers of South Jacksonville was another Democratic candidate and received a total of 131 votes.

The vote by precincts was as shown in the above table.

ATTEND

G. A. Wheeler's Stock Sale Tuesday, Jan. 28, at farm 2½ miles north of Strawn's Crossing: 70 head cattle; 30 hogs; 30 ewes; some good tools, etc.

ANUNCROWNED HERO.

A short time since a lady drove up in front of Doren & Breedon's clothing store and stopped and suddenly her horse began to kick, kick and perform all sorts of antics and she screamed for help. Charles Ator ran out and at the great risk of life and limb held the horse down while Mr. Doren released the lady from her perilous predicament. It took some time to get the horse quieted but it was finally accomplished and help was sought for the lady.

POSITION IN KENTUCKY

R. Y. Gibson received word from his son, Truman, who has been employed in New York City, that he will act as superintendent of the Adrandale Farm of Imported Jerseys.

Strayed or stolen—Boston bull terrier pup, unclipped ears. One white and one black eye. Finder call either phone 114.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the Cloverleaf Life and Casualty Company to increase its capital stock from \$125,000.00 to \$200,000.00.

CLOVERLEAF LIFE & CASUALTY CO.

Jacksonville, Illinois

January 25, 1919.

ANOTHER GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer Spink have a telegram from their daughter, Mrs. Frank Rawson, formerly Miss Flora Spink, that a son has arrived in the family.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

James Mahon will hold a closing out sale at his farm, the old Taylor place south of Sinclair February 14, of stock and farm implements.

Lovingly your brother,

Pvt. Harley Sanders.

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P. S.—I do not know whether I am to return home or go back to my company. I hope it is Home, Sweet Home.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Mrs. Lora Seymour will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Franklin.

YOUNG MEN

Will Be Interested In

New Spring Models

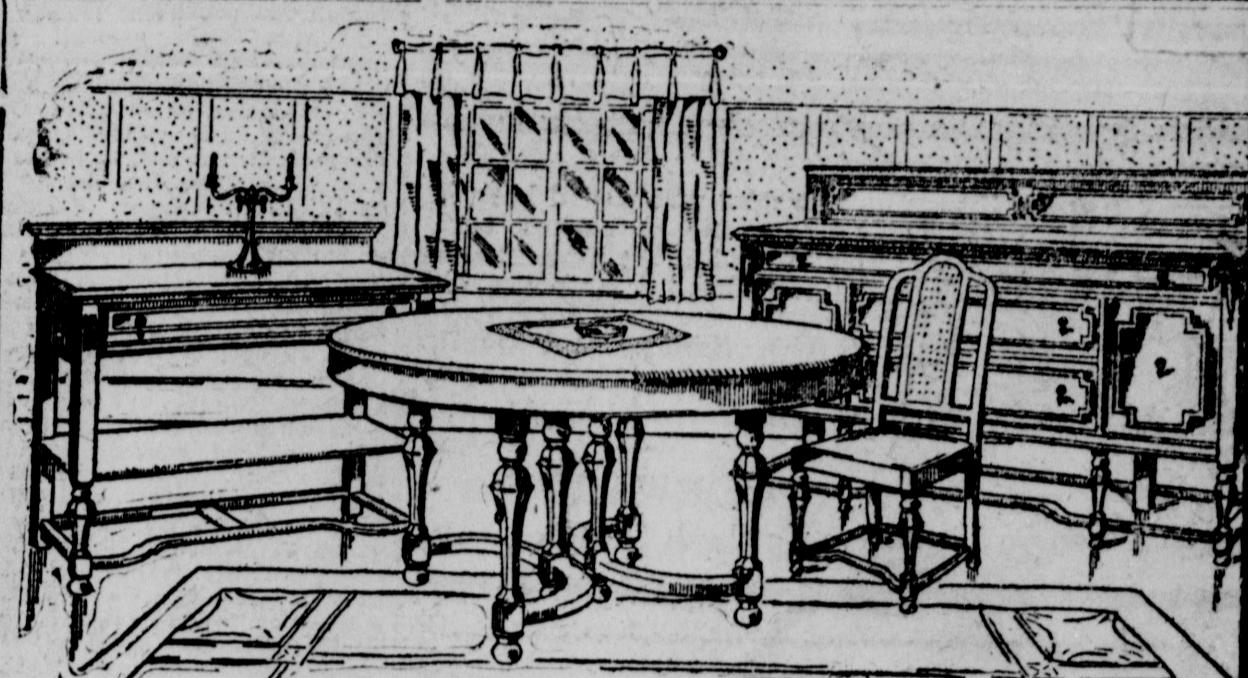
Here are the popular style spring Suits, colors and weights for you to wear now.

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This handsome dining room suite consists of Buffet, Dining Table, China Closet, Serving Table, and 6 Chairs upholstered in genuine Spanish leather, all in Antique Mahogany. This is a \$250 value suite, so you can readily see the great saving at the special clearing price named.

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There's Always a Saving on Wirthmor Waists

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Consider these facts: That for several months past, cotton fabrics have cost from 100 to 200% over pre-war days; that trimmings have advanced proportionately; that labor costs have gone up excessively and then you'll wonder as we do, how the price has been kept down so long.

That the price must now be advanced to maintain the quality is not in the least bit surprising; it's surprising rather that this did not occur a long time since for during these past many months Wirthmor Waists could readily have been sold at \$1.50; in fact, would have represented splendid values at that price.

The New Wirthmor Waists Priced at \$1.50

\$1.50 is the lowest price at which a worthy Waist can now be sold. Up to this price the Wirthmor folks will hereafter build Waists that will be just as superior to all others at the price as have the Wirthmors in the past at the former price. For these things the word Wirthmor always will stand; style insurance; quality insurance; economy insurance; the positive assurance that you are receiving the very ultimate in value for your expenditure.

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9x12 Brussels	\$22.50
9x12 Axminster	\$39.95
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BRIEF PARAGRAPHS FROM MURRAYVILLE

News Notes of Interest from Murrayville and Vicinity.

Murrayville, Jan. 24.—James Rea spent Tuesday with his daughter, Mrs. John Akers and family at Manchester.

Earl Hall has received his honorable discharge and returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gunn of Wichita, Kans., are visiting relatives here.

The Misses Ida and Anna Hahn and Mrs. Florence Johnson of Springfield were guests Wednesday of Mrs. John Boruff and family.

Chas. Rowe and Mr. Dyer of Jacksonville visited Rev. and Mrs. W. H. McGhee Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Riggs was called to Brighton Friday by the death and funeral of her niece, Mrs. Sophia Byford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bush and daughter Miss Marie of Jacksonville visited friends here and attended the chicken pie supper Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson visited friends here several days this week.

Mrs. Alice Cooper is spending a few days with her brother J. W. Fanning and wife.

O. P. Brewhaker of Blackstone, Ill., spent from Wednesday until Friday with relatives here.

S. B. Totten, the third trick operator, left Friday for Carrollton to accept a position there as third trick operator. He will move his family soon.

CONVENTION CALL

Republicans of Morgan county are requested to meet at the court house on Monday, Feb. 3, at 12 o'clock noon to elect eleven delegates to the fourth supreme court judicial convention which will be held at the Morgan county At that convention a Republican candidate for the judicial election called for April 1 will be chosen.

Moran County Central Committee

A. L. French, Chairman.

F. L. Gregory, Secretary.

JUNIOR RED CROSS NOTES

The Junior Red Cross organization for Morgan county is now being completed. This is a regular branch of the American Red Cross as applied to schools. The organization in Morgan county was begun last spring and was resumed this fall when schools opened, but due to the influenza situation it has been impossible to push the work until very recently.

Circulars explaining the exact nature of the organization and necessary blanks have been mailed to each school in the county. It is hoped that we may be able to report a 100% county for school auxiliaries of the American Red Cross.

As soon as applications for membership have been approved by the county and division headquarters, 1919 Red Cross pins will be mailed to each school, in sufficient number, for each child.

Fine lithograph diplomas or school auxiliary certificates will be issued to each school completing its organization. This is a beautiful war memorial and when properly cared for will become a valuable record to the school. It is hoped that each school in Morgan county will have a framed Red Cross diploma to serve as a memorial of the world war.

Just now the division headquarters are authorizing two important lines of work. One is the supplying and supporting of war orphans; and the other is the carrying out of the home health tournament. This latter is authorized by the officers of the Junior Red Cross and is conducted in conjunction with the Illinois Tuberculosis Association and has the joint approval of both bodies. It is hoped that all Junior Red Cross organizations will make this latter a feature of their school work as it is in the line of health instruction.

It is hoped that all schools will remember that this is the time to organize and send in their application blanks at once. The Morgan county committee is as follows and all application blanks should be sent directly to the secretary. Committee: Supt. H. A. Perrin, chairman; H. H. Vasconcellos, Co. Supt., vice chairman; J. R. Colbert, Prin. H. S. Waverly, auditor; Miss Helen Caffey, H. S. treasurer; Miss Clara C. Cobb, Jacksonville, Grade Prin., secretary.

NORTHMINSTER CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Divine worship, 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Memory in the Eternal World." 7:30 p. m. Rev. Marion Humphries, pastor at large, of Springfield Presbytery, will speak on the "New Era Movement." We hope to have a large attendance at both morning and evening services. Rev. J. H. Morphis, minister.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE LEAGUE

Miss Walker of Illinois Woman's college, is offering a special course in Domestic Science to P. S. L. girls. The class will be held at night, tho it is impossible for us to begin other class work at present we hope to be able to do so soon.

All wishing this course must communicate with either Miss Ethel Wylder or Miss Jennie Grissley before Feb. 1. The class will cost each girl \$1.50. This sum is not tuition but to help pay for materials used.

We hope that all who care for this work will take advantage of this splendid opportunity.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many relatives and friends who so kindly assisted and during the lingering illness and death of our wife and mother.

John Devin and Family.

Miss Irene Smith of South Church St. has gone to Beardstown to visit her sister, Mrs. Swain Marshall and family.

GRACE CHAPEL

Mrs. Aaron Petefish, Jr., and two little sons of Missouri came down from Literberry to visit at the home of Melvin Smith Tuesday and then went to the home of her father, James Cooper, near Concord for an extended visit.

William Smith and family of Keokuk, Iowa, came Tuesday to visit with Mr. Smith's mother who has been somewhat indisposed, but is now reported as being better.

Mrs. Hannah Braner and Grace Moss attended Mrs. Robinson's funeral in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Wester and two daughters spent Wednesday, the guests of Mrs. Bessie Ginder.

Vinton Bourn, wife and daughter spent Thursday at the home of William Bourn near Shiloh.

William Rooney and Bob Ham were Arenzville visitors Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Hoagland is spending the week with Mrs. Lula Rooney.

Mrs. Della Goodpasture and Mrs. Clara Ginder visited Sunday at the home of Elmira Wiswell.

Walter Houston bought and shipped two car loads of hogs from Joy Prairie station to the St. Louis market Friday.

Oscar Bridgman was an Arenzville business caller Friday.

Charlie Stanley arrived home Thursday from camp, having been honorably discharged. His parents are glad to have him at home after being in camp several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley have another son, Glen in France. They received a letter from him Thursday stating he is well but does not know when he will return to the States.

Harry Ogle, wife and family motored to Jacksonville Thursday.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell on Jan. 29th, at the sale of Mrs. W. B. Groves: 1 team work mules, 1 draft horse, some farming tools and work harness.

C. A. ROWE.

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Six Miles Southwest of
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142 Acres, about 85 acres under cultivation, some of which is rolling. Balance in grass and timber and quite rough. Good running water, with plenty of shade for stock.

Has good 8-room house and new barn; also other outbuildings; fencing not very good.

Only \$13,000
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Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Training class 8:30. Subject: "Culture versus Conversion."

Services at Ebenezer and Wesley Chapel. Sunday school at 9:30 and preaching at 11 in the morning. Wesley Chapel. Sunday school at 2 and preaching at 3 in the afternoon. These charges have handed the pastor \$100 for the Armenian and Syrian relief funds. This fund will be credited to the Sunday school fund. The Sunday schools of America are to take care of \$2,000,000 of the \$30,000,000 to be raised for relief in the Armenian, Persian and Syrian relief work.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church, F. B. Madden, minister.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Thomas V. Hopper, superintendent. Dr. H. C. Wolman will make an address on temperance. Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Madden will speak at both services. Special music. A hearty welcome for all.

Central Christian church, M. L. Pontius minister.—The Bible school begins at 9:30 a. m. C. L. Mathis superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45, evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will speak on "A Worth-While Life" in the morning and on "The Tragedy of Sin" at the evening service. Vocal solo by Mrs. Wilson and violin solo by Fred Myers at the morning service and Misses Nelle Self and Lorine Deweese will give a vocal duet in the evening. Christian Endeavor meetings at 6:30 p. m. Seniors will be led by Miss Mary Moxon. The public is invited to all services. The Senior Christian Endeavor Society of the Central Christian church will meet at 6 o'clock for an important business meeting. Regular Sunday evening service of the society will begin at 6:30 p. m. as usual. Leader, Miss Mary Moxon. All members of the society, young people of the church, and congregation, students and strangers in the city in-

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First Church of Christ, Scientist.—Regular services are held in the church 523 West State street, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject: "Truth". Sunday school at 9:30. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The reading room is located in the church building and is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

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Terms of sale: Cash in hand. January 25th, 1919.
Charles B. Graff, Executor of the Estate of Nettie O'rear, deceased. Thompson & Thompson, Attorneys for Executor.

John Martin of Literberry traveled down to the city yesterday.

CONSERVATORY NOTES.

Mr. Munger's annual piano recital will be given next Tuesday evening January 28th, in Northminster church. For the third group of numbers on his program, a request group, the following numbers have received the most votes: 2, 4, 12, 14, 15 and 16. The public is cordially invited to attend. A special invitation is given to music students.

There will be a student's recital next Thursday afternoon, January 30th, in Recital Hall, at 4:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

At the lecture given last Thursday evening by Dr. Milligan, in Recital Hall the Rondo for two pianos by Chopin was played by Misses Ellen McCurley and Virginia Bullard.

The recital of advanced students given last Tuesday evening, Jan. 21st, in Recital Hall, was most successful and well attended.

Miss Helen Frazer played some violin solos for the Women's Club in Beardstown on Tuesday, Jan. 14th.

At the chapel exercises at Illinois College Friday morning, Jan. 24th, Miss Lucille Baker sang a solo and Miss Helen Sorrells played a violin solo.

Mr. Fred Meyers will play a violin solo in the Christian church Sunday morning, January 26th.

Mr. Dean Cochran has been engaged to play with the String Quartet of the State Agricultural College in Fort Collins, Colo., and will also play in the Denver Symphony orchestra at Denver.

Miss Helen Moses played a violin solo at the Rebekah lodge meeting Friday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Harber will sing a solo at the Centenary church at the morning service and at the Baptist church at the evening service.

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Mrs. Eliza J. Jacobs Passed Away Recently at Cass County Home—Caldwell Funeral Wednesday—Other Virginia News Note.

Virginia, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Eliza J. Jacobs, an aged and highly respected resident of this city, passed away at the family home here after an illness of many months. Deceased was born April 17, 1839, in the house in which she died. She was united in marriage to Robinson Jacobs, and they were the parents of the following children: Mrs. Maggie Mullens, Miss Lizzie Jacobs, Charles, William and Henry Jacobs. The invalid mother has been given faithful and loving care by her daughter, Miss Lizzie, during many years. Arrangements for the funeral have not been announced.

Mrs. Catherine Caldwell passed away suddenly Sunday evening at the home on West Beardstown street, after an illness of some duration. Catherine Heaton was born in Manchester, England, Oct. 18, 1844, and was united in marriage to Charles Caldwell in early life. To this union were born three sons and four daughters: John, Charles E., and Patrick, the latter deceased; Mrs. Duncan Reid, Pana; Mrs. H. Coleman and Mrs. Catherine Hertsche, Beardstown; Mrs. J. C. Mead, Virginia. The deceased was a member of the Eastern Star, the W. C. T. U. and of the Virginia Presbyterian church. Funeral services were held at the family home Wednesday afternoon, in charge of Rev. Max B. Wiles, with burial in Walnut Ridge cemetery.

Virginia News Notes.
Howard Fox departed Monday for Montague, Cal., after a few weeks' visit with relatives in this city.

James Maslin received a car load of stock hogs from St. Louis Tuesday.

H. H. Breedon of Jacksonville spent a day recently with his family here.

Mrs. Roberts Stribley is confined to her home by an attack of asthma.

A grocery firm in Jacksonville is soon to open a branch store in this city. Virginia has been without a free delivery system

for several months and a welcome feature of the new company is free delivery service.

William Looker and Chas. Wankle, two Cass county boys, arrived home early Sunday morning. Both young soldiers have seen service in France.

The remains of Miss Bertha Hudson were brought to this city Sunday and conveyed to the home of her uncle, Theo Hudson where the funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon. Burial was in City Cemetery.

George Fisher has accepted a position in an auto repair shop in Lincoln, Ill.

Misses Olive Fielder, Ernestine and Elizabeth Hillig were Saturday visitors in Jacksonville.

Miss Mary Devlin, a typewriter operator for the Beardstown Illinoisian-Star, spent Sunday with home folks.

Lee Capper of Chandlersville who has been stationed at Camps Custer and Chillicothe, O., received his discharge and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Long.

The condition of the venerable L. M. Simmons remains unchanged. His son, C. A. Simmons, of Peoria, is at his bedside.

Mrs. J. N. Ivey and daughter Pearl and grandsons Billy and Darel spent Sunday with relatives in Beardstown.

John Beckum of Springfield was a week end guest of relatives here.

Messrs. Jesse Decker and Roy Ross are attending the National Live Stock show in Denver this week.

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ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES.

The Student Christian Association had planned a series of special meetings for the first week in February. The leader of the meetings was to have been the Reverend A. P. Higley of Cleveland, Ohio. Word has just come that Dr. Higley is very ill with the influenza and cannot be here. Dr. Higley is very popular among the students and all feel deep regret that he cannot come to the college.

The Devotional Association will meet as usual at Academy hall Sunday evening at 6:30. The leader will be

The Chapel exercises of the past week have been made interesting through the presence of several out of town speakers. On Monday, the students were addressed by Mr. Louis Wallis, who spoke on the significance of the French Revolution. On Tuesday, Dr. S. H. Dana, a former trustee and a warm college friend of Dean Hayden delivered a very interesting talk, and on Friday two Conservatory students gave a couple of musical numbers. Miss Lucille Baker sang and Miss Helen Sorrelles played the violin, accompanied on the piano by Miss Mabel Forrester.

President Bammelkamp went to Springfield on Saturday as a delegate to the Representative Assembly of the Illinois State Teachers' Association.

Elmer J. Lukeman has returned to college and will enter the senior class.

Bryce Whistler '19 has received an appointment as instructor in Mathematics in the Pawnee High school. Mr. Whistler has completed his requirements for a degree and has already gone to Pawnee to undertake his work.

Miss Betty Ames has taken the French classes at the Jacksonville high school taught by Miss Emma Mae Leonhard, who is ill.

Mrs. Frances Talmadge Bawden II is working in the social service department of the University of Indiana. She is making a study of about 2,000 destitute children who are under the observation of the social service department of the university.

Mr. R. O. Stoops, former principal of Whipple Academy, was recently elected president of the Illinois Superintendents' Association.

Dr. William F. Luebke, the new acting professor of English, is expected to arrive about the end of January.

The committee appointed by the trustees to secure a memorial tablet in memory of Governor Duncan, Jonathan Baldwin Turner and Newton D. Bateman is proceeding with its work. The tablet will probably be placed in the Jones building some time during the spring.

President Rammelkamp recently received an interesting letter from Homer J. Bale. It seems that Bale's unit was sent into service action on the morning of the armistice. The messenger lost his way and was two hours late in arriving at that particular end of the line. The result was the unnecessary service of a large number of the men; among them a brother of Paul Watkins of Petersburg.

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Remember her when in the grave
her head does lie
Beneath the warm and sunny sky.

Remember her when death has closed
Her eyelids in their last repose.

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GRIGGSVILLE

Miss Anna Driscoll arrived home yesterday from Perry, Ill., where she has been the past two weeks caring for members of the Arthur Grieve family who were ill with influenza. Miss Driscoll left today for Meredosia to care for the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hunter left today for California where they will spend a month.

W. W. Wood of Marbie, Colo., is here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allor.

Mrs. T. M. Yates, Mrs. Glenn Dorsey and little daughter Barbara arrived home from a weeks visit in Chicago.

Mrs. C. D. Vertrees and daughter, Miss Pearl of Pittsfield, are spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Anna Shemaker.

Mrs. George Kenney of Kansas City is here visiting her aunt Mrs. W. A. Stone. Mr. Kenney went to Cincinnati, O., on a business trip.

T. B. Beedle went to St. Louis today to take the Shriner's degree in Masonry.

Miss Elva Turnball has been spending several days in Beardstown with relatives.

J. W. Fitzpatrick and Wm. German will sell Thursday, Jan. 30, 7 horses, 11 cattle, 7 sheep, 8 shoats, farming implements, at the residence of J. W. Fitzpatrick.

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Mrs. Charles Withee of Peoria came down Monday to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sturgis and sisters, Misses Lola and Alene Austin.

Lee Gillon of Humboldt, S. D., is visiting his father, W. B. Gillon.

Miss Chatie Duncan who has been working at the Burlington station at Alsey for several weeks came home Monday.

Mrs. Ella Stewart has gone to Muncie, Ind., for a visit with Rev. F. E. Smith and wife.

Emery Mann and family who have been in Loveland, Colo., for a few months, are now back in our village.

Miss Mary Chambers is visiting at the home of her brother Alred.

Charles Tranbarger of Conrad, Iowa is visiting his father John Tranbarger and other relatives.

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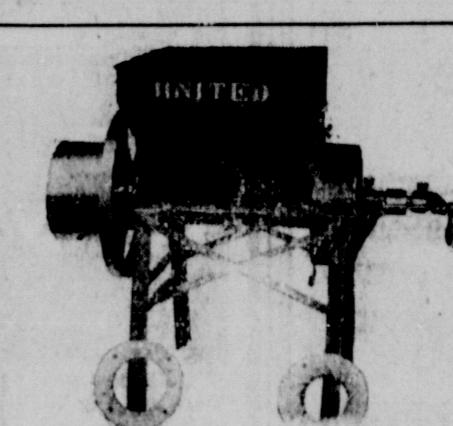
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CAPT. GIBSON WRITES FROM FRENCH SOIL

Former County Resident Has Been in Medical Service on Front for More Than Year—Tells of Visit to Paris.

The following letter was written from overseas by Capt. Stanley Gibson, who has been in France since Sept. 1917. Capt. Gibson grew to manhood near Pisgah, attending College Grove school and afterward graduated from the Franklin High School. Still later he was a student at Illinois college. The letter indicates that he has not only seen active service in the medical department of the army but also that he has been a keen observer of overseas happenings.

December 10, 1918.

Dear Brother Edwin:

It is now almost a week since we returned from leave, and we feel pretty well rested after our two weeks strenuous sightseeing. I should like to tell you all about it, but it is a long story, so I shall merely sketch briefly some of the things that interested us most, and allow the rest to wait until I can relate it to you in person, and if we can judge by the rumors that are afloat now, the British will probably release us within a month or two, so we hope to be home in the early spring.

My room mate and I went to Paris November 21st, and spent the two following days attending a medical meeting. Those two days did not count on our leave, though we found considerable time between sessions to do a little window shopping, stroll about on the boulevards, and attend theater.

We arrived in Paris in the evening, and as we walked out of the station, we were bewildered by the brilliant lighting of streets and buildings. In our previous visits to the city, we had groped about in the darkness, in fact we had not been in a town with lights gleaming since we left New York. The people seemed more animated than usual, but had become fairly quiet, compared to the delirium of joy which marked the first few days following the armistice. The city was tristly with allied flags. We were particularly interested in the war trophies which lined the broad esplanade along the Seine. Hundreds of pieces of German artillery of all descriptions, aeroplanes, tanks, and ruins of a zepelin were on display at convenient places. Booths had been established to receive subscriptions to the fourth war loan — the "Loan of Liberation."

Picturesque Scenery.
After the two days in Paris, we took the train for Nice where we had planned to spend our leave. We left at night, and when we awoke next morning we were somewhere south of Lyon in the Rhone valley, with low rather barren mountains on either side. Quite picturesque, but less pleasing than the rich, rolling agricultural country which one sees in

other sections of France. The scenery reminded me of that described by Stevenson in his "Travels with a Donkey." We arrived in Nice just at dusk. Next morning when we looked out of our hotel window to see what our immediate environment was, we found a palm garden, with the blue Mediterranean just beyond it. I suppose one should always see the blue Mediterranean. I believe it was Irvin Cobb who said that people spoke of the blue Danube because it was such a muddy yellow. I thought at first that the Mediterranean always had the blue prefix because it was such a dull gray, but when the sun was full upon it, the color was a genuine deep blue. We rang the bell, ordered breakfast sent to our room, settled ourselves in pajamas near the open window, and as we ate, we agreed that, temporarily at least, we felt like real quality folks.

The climate there is almost tropical. We feasted our eyes on mountain scenery, palms, orange and olive trees, roses, pantries, geraniums, and other flowers, and on villas of a luxuriance that made us gasp. That region is the Palm Beach and the southern California of France, or perhaps I should say it the other way about.

We spent two days in taking auto trips, one up into the mountains, the other to the Italian border. An American lady at our hotel who has lived several years in Nice was very helpful in arranging our tours, and coaching us on prices and tips so that we were not unduly robbed. The French seem still to have the idea that all Americans have more money than is wholesome for them, and the worst of it is that they extract it so neatly and graciously that one almost enjoys being held up.

Of course the best known place in the vicinity is Monte Carlo. The Casino is a palace, surrounded by parks and gardens such as only French artistic taste and a congenial climate could supply.

Men in uniform were not allowed in the gambling hall, but the guards allowed us to peer thru the doors and see them "at work." The majority were women. One of the boys suggested that just for spite we might sit down on the steps outside and shoot dice.

Thanksgiving at Nice.

Our last day at Nice was Thanksgiving—as perfect a summer day as one could have desired.

There were so many Americans at our hotel that the proprietor served a Turkey dinner,

and apologized because he couldn't give us cranberries and pumpkin pie.

We hurried away, before our leave had expired, hoping after getting back to Paris to be able to get a glimpse of some portion of the front before returning to camp. The same evening that we arrived I learned that one could get transportation to Chateau Thierry. I became interested at once, and especially because that name will be familiar to American school children and a shrine for American travelers for generations. My pal couldn't go because of an appointment to meet some friends in Paris, so I went alone. If you have seen Mildred Aldrich's hook, "A Hill-top on the Marne," you will have gained a better idea of the charming country between Paris and Chateau Thierry than I could give you. It is well worth reading.

On reaching the town, climbed up on a hill where stands the ruins of an old chateau, and from which I gained an admirable panorama of the village and of the portion of the valley of the Marne where the Americans were engaged. The town had been badly pounded by shell-fire, but the majority of the buildings were standing, many habitable. I then hopped a French truck and rode some two or three miles to the hill where our lads had their fierce fighting.

Though the battle occurred five months ago, one might have thought it had occurred only the week before, judging by the debris that still littered the ground. In the fields and woods guns, trench hats, gas masks, pieces of uniform, shells and hand grenades by the hundreds could be seen. There were no extensive trench system, but wherever a clump of trees, a ravine, or an embankment offered cover, dugouts and gun emplacements were found. At the edge of one shell crater, a U. S. cartridge belt with several rounds of ammunition scattered about, a trench hat, and a gas mask told their tragic story. Trees were pock marked by machine gun fire, and in some places the artillery had disfigured the landscape.

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"A league to enforce peace," ceases to be peaceful if it has to start a war to keep peace.

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The Little Towns. (Hilda Morris, in the New York Times.)

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Little town, the birth of them makes your kin to Bethlehem!

Little town where Jimmy Brown ran the grocery store, Little town where Manuel fished along the shore, Where Russian Steve was carpenter, and sandy Pat McQuade.

Worked all day in overalls at his mechanic's trade, Where Allen Perkins practiced law, and John, Judge Harper's son,

Planned a little house for two that never shall be done— Little town, you gave them all, Rich and poor and great and strong,

Sent them forth to right the wrong.

Little town, their glorious death makes your kin to Nazareth!

Speaking of commercializing legalized boxing. We understand that the commercializing of golf at Nichols park from 10 to 25 cents per hole is what makes it so popular to some devotees of the great game as a winter sport.

Out in Salem, Oregon, they take the temperature of the members of the legislature every day. In the old days when Springfield was "wet" an examination would have shown the temperature of nearly all of the members away above normal.

Thanks Bill, we appreciate being placed in the same class with Guest and Cooke. Both are real poets, while we can't even write good doggerel and never pretended that we could. And also our fame instead of being national, doesn't extend any

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GOVERNMENT JOKE BOOK.

In a recent issue of the Mutual Life Quarterly appears a number of extracts compiled by the War Risk Insurance Bureau from funny letters written by relatives of men in service overseas.

The sayings are funny and it must have required considerable time on the part of some employee of the bureau to sort them out and get them ready for publication so that the relatives of the enlisted men could have a good laugh.

However, if the clerk who did the work had spent the time required in seeing to some widowed mother or some wife with several children getting the soldier's allotment it would have been much better.

We have seen a number of times in the papers criticisms of the dilatory conduct of the War Risk Insurance Bureau. In fact we have an illustration of it right here in Jacksonville.

An aged colored woman who can neither read nor write has a son who has been in active service overseas for nearly a year past. This son wrote his mother in December 1917 that he had made an allotment to her from his salary. The allotment was made at Camp Logan Houston, Texas, and shortly afterward he was sent overseas.

His mother waited for several months and not receiving any money took the matter up with the civilian relief committee. The chairman of this committee, Rev. W. E. Collins, got into communication with various authorities. Finally the woman got a printed circular letter from Washington saying the allotment had been made but that no beneficiary had been designated.

Now if the young man took the time to dig up the alleged funny paragraphs from the letters written to the bureau about allotments had spent that time writing to the soldier in question who had made the allotment and whose address the bureau had, to find out to whom to send the allotment it would have been far better and it would have relieved the distress of the old mother. Instead the bureau in its printed circular told her if she felt that she still wanted the allotment she should write to her son and get him to make out new papers.

Yes, there is lots of humor in war and there may be some humor in the letters received down in Washington from relatives who have given their sons, husbands and fathers that the world might be saved for democracy. But, there is far more of tragedy. If some of the swivel chair soldiers in Washington had been sent to the western front in France they might not have seen so much humor in the situation.

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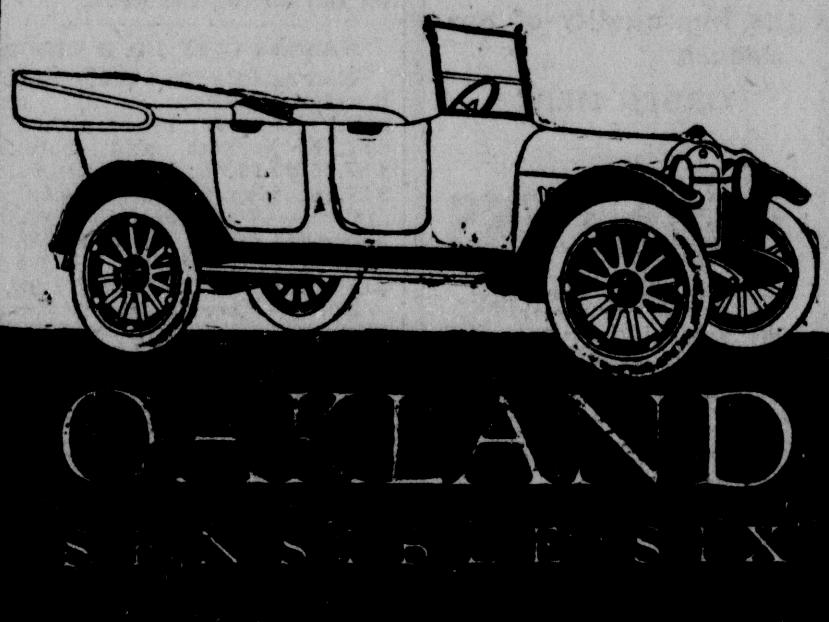
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